

We are a community of faith founded upon God's Holy Word, preaching salvation through believing in Christ as Savior. We seek to live in God's truth, being obedient to His Word and following in His ways.

June 14, 2020 8:00 & 10:30AM

Welcome to our Worship of God!

Lighting of the Altar Candles and Ringing of the Tower Bells

Welcome, Announcements, Scripture and Prayer of Invocation

Psalm 47

Prelude "Wonderful Peace

†Call to Worship

- L: Let us worship God, the Lord Most High.
- C: The Lord reigns over all creation.
- L: The mighty voice of God creates all things.
- C: Nothing exists without the creative power of the Lord.
- L: May God give strength to all who gather in worship this day.
- C: May the Lord bless us all with His peace.

†Hymns

#30, "How Majestic Is Your Name" #31, "Great Is the Lord"

†Unison Prayer of Confession – God, our majestic creator, by your wisdom we are taught the way and the truth. You know how our obedience can be tested. You know the error of my ways, when I have given in to temptation. It is with a repentant heart that I confess my sin before you, Lord. Forgive me, Lord, restore me through the grace of Jesus Christ, in whose mighty name I pray. Amen

†Words of Assurance

†Hymn of Response

#339, "Since I Have Been Redeemed"

Children's Message

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

†Sermon Hymn #398, "Fill My Cup, Lord"

Scripture Reading Hebrews 12:1-13

Sermon "Staying Focused"

†Hymn #404, "The Solid Rock"

†Benediction

†Postlude

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The altar flowers are given in honor of Doug and Nancy Rupp's 50th wedding anniversary!



This Week's Pastoral Prayer:

In your providence, O Lord, I am grateful for your shower of blessings, such as the blessings of salvation in Christ, comfort and guidance through the Holy Spirit, and strength and endurance for each day. Knowing Jesus is the light of the world, THE Lighthouse, guiding us through every storm and gale, I pray more people will not only see and notice his light, but will be guided by his light, guided to you, God. May we arise as your faithful people, Lord, shining brightly, a light to be seen and a voice to be heard – a voice of peace, of grace, of wisdom. Keep us focused on your truth; that I will grow ever more faithful and pure. For your glory, I pray. Amen.

Discovery Daily Devotional Guides – Discovery Daily Bible Guides are available in the literature rack outside the Associate Pastor's office (suggested donation \$6 each). You can access this guide online at http://www.scriptureunion.org/Bible%20Reading Discovery. Below is the list of daily readings for this week:

June 15 - Without Hope and Without God	2 Kings 25:18-30
June 16 - Paul Gets Angry	
June 17 - Paul Gets Personal	
June 18 - Titus-The-Test-Case	Galatians 2:1-10
June 19 - Every Life Tells a Story	Galatians 2:11-21
June 20 - Bewitched and Bewildered	
June 21 - From Pain to Praise	Pealm 57



Prayer Joys, Concerns, Requests - Please Pray For:

- •Dale VonDeylen spent a few days in the OSU hospital this past week and will be returning for up to two weeks of "every other day" treatment.
- •Scott Reeb is recovering from outpatient knee surgery.
- •Jim Silcox is in home hospice care.
- •Josephine Short continues in therapy at Rupp Rehab.
- •Ralph Grieser is in treatment for cancer.
- •Sandy Miller continues in treatment for a serious infection in her legs.
- •Brenden Bostelman, stationed at Fort Campbell, KY (Army) (Grandson of Bill & Kathy).
- •AB Kali Collins, at Lackland, Texas (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill).
- •PFC Kohl Collins, at Ft. Benning, Georgia (Army) (Grandson of Nan Neill).
- •Kyle Ducey, Suffolk, Virginia (Navy) (Son of Kelly & Betsy).
- •Cpt. Jared Kuntz, Washington D.C. (Army) (Son of Keith & Kelli).
- •Eric Magg, at Ketchikan, Alaska (Coast Guard) (Son of Joe & Sheryl Short).
- •Shane & Taylor Pitts, in Albuquerque, NM (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill).
- •David Richardson, to be stationed in Okinawa, Japan (Marines) (Son of Shannon & Yesi).
- •Joshua Richardson, stationed at MCBH, Kaneohe, Hawaii (Marines) (Son of Shannon & Yesi).
- •Steve Schink, at Port Angeles, WA (Coast Guard) (Son-in-Law of Ed & Julie Ruffer).
- •AJ Short, Japan (Marines) (Son of Joe & Sheryl Short).
- •PFC Kyle Stuckey, at Killeen, Texas (Army) (Grandson of Nan Neill).

Today's Worship Servants

Acolytes (8:00) Joshua Reeb (10:30) Leah Nafziger

Ushers (Head) Greg Walker

(8:00) Kevin Neuenschwander

Sound Tech (8:00) Angie Neuenschwander (10:30) James Grime

Video Tech
Song Leader
Easy Worship Tech
Facebook Live Tech
Accompanist
(10:30) Dean Sauder
(Both) Andrew Rohrs
(Both) Mark Nofziger
(10:30) Sarah Nafziger
(Both) Lynne Christman

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